HOUSE BILL 1278

By Lynn

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-105-109, relative to blasting operations.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-105-109, is amended in subsection (c) by deleting in its entirety the first sentence and by substituting instead the following:

When a reportable accident occurs, blasting operations at the site shall cease and the site shall remain undisturbed in an area sufficient to preserve evidence of the accident until the department completes its initial investigation.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.